Executive Proclamation

State of South Dakota

Office Of The Governor

WHEREAS, The Yankton Silver Cornet Band was founded in Eighteen Hundred and Sixty-Nine; and,

WHEREAS, The Silver Cornet Band was the first such musical organization in the Dakota Territory; and,

WHEREAS, In this our Centennial Year, the Silver Cornet Band has been reactivated for the purpose of the Territorial Capital rededication and other Yankton community Centennial celebrations:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, GEORGE S. MICKELSON, Governor of the State of South Dakota, in recognition of the arts and cultural heritage, tradition and contributions of Yankton County and the southeastern South Dakota area, in commemoration of the original band members and their families, and in recognition of the community spirit and helping hands that restored this band to the community in this our hundredth year of statehood, do hereby recognize the Yankton Silver Cornet Band as the

GOVERNOR'S SILVER CORNET BAND

of South Dakota.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of South Dakota, in Pierre, the Capital City, this Fourth Day of April, in the Year of Our Lord, Nineteen Hundred and Eighty-Nine

GEORGE S. MICKELSON, GOVERNOR

ATTEST:

JOYCE HAZELTINE, SECRETARY OF STATE